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IN RE APPLICATION OF: A. Villalobos :

APPLICATION NO.: 10/083,743 : Examiner: S. Wang

FILING DATE: February 26, 2002 : Group Art Unit: 1617

TITLE: USE OF GABA_A INVERSE AGONISTS :
IN COMBINATION WITH NICOTINE
RECEPTOR PARTIAL AGONIST,
ESTROGEN, SELECTIVE ESTROGEN
MODULATORS OR VITAMIN E FOR
THE TREATMENT OF COGNITIVE
DISORDERS

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Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is requested that the term for response to the Examiner's Action in this application, mailed on August 26, 2003, and having an original period for response of 3 months, which expired on November 26, 2003, be extended by one month(s), such that it expires on December 26, 2003.

Authorization is hereby provided to charge the amount of \$110.00, as stated under 37 C.F.R. §1.17, as well as any additional fees required, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-1445. Two copies of this paper are enclosed.

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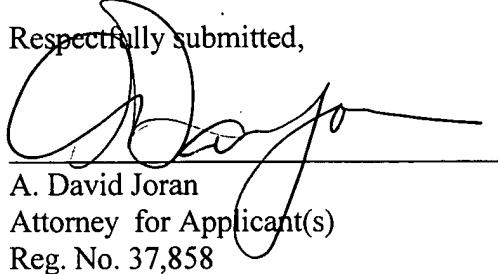
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